# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
# LOK SABHA

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GARUDA MOBILE SERVICE
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**Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government is facing problem in providing Garuda Mobile service connectivity to new subscribers;

(b) if so, the details thereof, alongwith the reasons therefor;

(c) the details of the imports made by the MTNL during the last three years for providing mobile service in the country including names of countries and companies;

(d) whether all the imported equipments are being put to use; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

(c) The details of the imports made by the MTNL during the last three years are given in the Annexure.

(d) Yes, Sir. All the imported equipments are being put in use.

(e) Does not arise in view of (d) above.

ANNEXURE

DETAILS OF THE PURCHASE ORDERS PERTAINING TO GARUDA WLL MOBILE SERVICE IN MTNL MUMBAI DURING FINANCIAL YEAR 2002-2005

| Name of item equipment imported from | Name of company | Cost | Main |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2002-03 | | | |
| 92.23K lines IS95A CDMA network Expn. Equipment | Fujitsu India Ltd. | Rs. 85 crores approx. | Japan |
| 15 K CDMA WLL handset Kayocera | XL Telecom Ltd./M/s. approx. | Rs. 7.56 crores | Sourced in India |
| 2003-04 | | | |
| 400K lines CDMA 2000 IX WLL network Equipment | HFCL/ M/s. Huawei | Rs. 116.8 crores approx. | China |
| 2004-05 | | | |
| 50K CDMA handsets approx. | M/s. XL Telecom Ltd./ Kayocera | Rs. 19.26 crores | Sourced in India |

DETAILS OF IMPORTS MADE BY MTNL DELHI DURING LAST THREE YEARS

| Equipment through Infrastructure Equipment | Cost | Import | country |
|---|---|---|---|
| Phase-I (50 KL) | $69,93,406 | Imported | USA & CHINA |

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|---|---|---|---|
| (USD) from M/s. Motorola Phase-II (100 KL) | $1,05,43,411(USD) | | |
| (400 KL) Handsets and Wall Sets | Rs. 94,87,12,412 | M/s. HFCL | CHINA, ISRAEL, USA |
| 45000(30000 HHT and 15000 FWT) | Rs. 76,77,57,000 | HFCL | S. Korea |
| 1000 HHT | Rs. 1,78,95,000 | HFCL | S. Korea |
| 3750 HHT | Rs. 5,31,18,750 | LG | S. Korea |
| 1250 FWT | Rs. 1,77,06,250 | ITI | S. Korea |
| 30000 HHT | Rs. 15,00,12,900 | XL Telecom | USA |
| 15000 HHT | Rs. 7,49,24,400 | XL Telecom | USA |
| 20000 FWT | Rs. 12,73,35,792 | M/s. Surana Telecom Ltd. | CHINA |